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15 July 1959

DEPUTIES' MEETING

Present: Mr. Dulles, General Cabell, Mr. Bissell, Mr. Amory,  
Colonel White, Mr. Helms, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Sheldon  
(part of meeting), Dr. Kent, [redacted]

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MR. DULLES:

a. Noted he had received a telephone call from Congressman George H. Mahon about a possible briefing and asked Mr. Sheldon to get in touch with John Warner and bring up to date the notes he (DCI) had used in briefing the Kilday Committee. Note: Congressman Mahon to advise the Director the date he wishes this briefing.

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c. Noted a cable from [redacted] containing objections on the part of the U. S. Consul General there that Mr. Kirkpatrick not visit that Station, and said although there might be some validity to these objections, before concurring he would like to bring this matter to the attention of Mr. Hugh Cumming in State. Action: COP

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d. Approved the circulation to DD/P, OCI, and ONE of the memorandum for the record made of the Director's conversation with Mr. W. Averill Harriman concerning his recent trip to the USSR.

MR. BISSELL:

Noted that during Mr. Wisner's tenure as DD/P he had from time to time held conversations with [redacted], a representative of the [redacted] Embassy in Washington. He said recently [redacted] had approached Mr. Wisner and asked if someone could be designated to continue these conversations after Mr. Wisner's departure to [redacted]. Mr. Bissell said he had discussed this with Mr. Critchfield and that they felt it might be worthwhile to continue this contact and were planning to

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25X1 lunch with [redacted] on 21 July. It was Mr. Bissell's thought that after this initial meeting, Mr. Critchfield could continue this contact; however, after a month or so we would make it plain to [redacted] without completely closing the door, that these meetings were really a one-way street since CIA is prevented from a like arrangement in [redacted]

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25X1 [redacted] The Director concurred.

MR. HELMS:

25X1 Noted that [redacted] of FBI was being replaced as head of the  
25X1 Liaison Division by Mr. [redacted] and in all probability [redacted] 25X1 would in the future represent the Bureau as its representative on USIB.  
The Director asked Mr. Helms to have Mr. Angleton advise [redacted] 25X1 (FBI liaison officer with CIA) he would be delighted to see [redacted] 25X1 before his departure for his field assignment and tell him how much we appreciated his service and contribution as a member of USIB.

COLONEL WHITE:

25X1 Noted that consideration is being given to abandoning our training activities on [redacted] He said he had recently found out that the Navy is thinking about increasing its station there and he strongly recommended that we notify the Navy of our possible abandonment of this site. He noted that in all probability should it be decided to pull out of [redacted] the Navy could make use of our facilities there and thus save the government a good deal of construction. The Director concurred. Action: DD/S.

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